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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.17 (a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Examiner's Office Action mailed October 14, 2003 in which a three-month period for response was set to expire on January 14, 2004. After granting the request for a two-month extension of time, the response period will expire on March 14, 2004.

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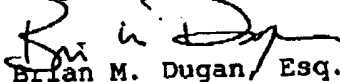
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Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1696 in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the two-month extension fee.

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Respectfully submitted,



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